# P-Patch Community Garden Program- Fact Sheet - 2010

**Partners** P-Patch Community Garden Program

City of Seattle's Dept of Neighborhoods

700 5<sup>th</sup> Ave Ste 1700

684-0264

Established in 1973

P-Patch Trust Non-profit Board 12 Board Members Community Gardeners 2056 Households 4000+ Gardeners

Staff 6 fte 1200 volunteer hours - Board

members Staff .25 fte **Volunteer Contribution** 18.500 volunteer hrs -This works out to 9 full time people, or valuing the contribution at \$15/ hour, it equals \$277,500.

73 P-Patch sites No. of sites 5 P-Patch sites (of the 73 total)

Site statistics on the 73 P-Patches

Oldest Picardo – 2.5 acres **Newest-**Hazel Heights Thistle—3+acres No of Sites w/ accessible Largest

Pelican Tea - Collective

raised beds-18

Sites In active development- 5

Number of Market Gardens - 3

## Plot sizes, fees and program facts

fee +\$11 for

- \$23 application 8 hrs of P-Patch time required to maintain public areas of gardens • Special Program for low income immigrant gardeners;
- each 100 square feet of
- garden
- Plot Fee Assistance for those who can't afford plot fees

# City owned

Smallest

- Parks 23 (shared ownership w/ Hillman)
- Street ROW 9
- City Light 6
- DON 6 (shared ownership w/ Judkins)

# Other ownership

- Seattle Housing Authority 12
- Leased from private landowner 8
- Metro/ King County 2
- P-Patch Trust 6 (includes part owner of Hillman City/ Judkins)
- School District –1
- Fleets & Facilities 1

## Description of gardeners (from 2007 survey)

- Income: 55% are low income
- Ethnic groups: 20 % of P-Patchers are people of color
- Apartment dwellers:
  - 48% live in multifamily dwellings
  - 77% have no gardening space where they live
- Donations to food bank :40% of gardeners donate at least once a month

### Waiting lists/Demand

1900+ people on waiting list at end of year 2009 At sites with low demand: waiting time is less than 3 months At high demand sites: waiting time may be up to 3 years Annual turnover across whole program averages 22%

#### Priority areas for additional sites

High demand/high priority areas where housing density is high or increasing: Queen Anne, Interbay, Capitol Hill, Wallingford, Fremont, north half of West Seattle, Lake Union, Belltown, Ballard, Greenwood, West Seattle

Property/ Ownership	Build date	Location
Seattle Dept of Neighborhoods	uuto	
Judkins (DON/ PPT)	1986	24th Ave S / S Norman St
Squire Park	1995	14th Ave / E Fir St
Roosevelt	2003	7012 12th Ave NE
Brandon Orchard	2004	47th Ave S / S Brandon
Hawkins Garden	2005	E. Jefferson & MLK
Spring Street	2009	E. Spring and 25th Ave
Private –P-Patch Trust		
Pinehurst	1976	12th Ave NE / NE 115th St
Hillman City (DON/ PPT)	1994	46th Ave S / S Lucile St
Greenwood	1997	345 NW 88th St
Fremont	1998	N 40th St / Woodland Park Ave N
Hazel Heights	2010	Baker Ave NW & NW 42nd St
Seattle Parks and Recreation	4070	0000 NE 00- d 04
Picardo Farm	1973 1974	2600 NE 82nd St
Interbay Colman Park	1974	15th Ave W / W Armour St 3098 S Grand St
Jackson park	1974	10th Ave NE / NE 133rd St
Delridge	1974	5078 25th Ave SW
Magnuson	1977	7500 Sandpoint Way
Good Shepherd	1981	4698 Bagley Ave N
Eastlake	1981	2900 Fairview Ave E
Bradner Gardens	1987	29th Ave S / S Grand St
Queen Anne	1994	3rd Ave N / Lynn St
Belltown	1994	Elliott Ave / Vine St
Cascade	1996	Minor Ave N / Thomas St
Thomas St Gardens	1996	1010 E Thomas St
Marra Farm	1997	4th Ave S / S Director St
Queen Pea	2002	5th Ave N/ Blaine St
Thyme Patch	2003	NW 58th St / 28th Ave NW
Longfellow Creek	2003	25th Ave SW/ SW Thistle
Linden Orchard	2003	Linden Ave N / 67th St
Lincoln Park Annex (Solstice Park)	2004	7400 Fauntleroy Wy SW
Oxbow	2004	6400 Corson Ave. SW
Maple Leaf	2007	5th Ave NE & NE 103rd
John and Summit - design	2010	16th Ave E & E. John
Howell Collective-design	2010	16th Ave & E. Howell
John C. Little – discussion	2010	37th Ave S/ S Willow
Private		
Ballard	1976	24th Ave NW / NW 85th St
Republican	1986	20th Ave E / E Republican St
Burke Gilman Gardens	1989	5200 Mithun PL NE
Ida Mia Garden	1994	E Madison St / Lake Washington Bvd E
Haller lake	1998	13045 1st Ave NE
Immaculate	1998	18th Ave E / E Columbia St
Climbing Water	2006	Dearborn & Hiawatha
W. Seattle Christian	2010	SW Genesee & 42nd Ave SW
Shiga's Garden	2010	5522 University Way

Seattle Transportation
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Ravenna	1981	5200 Ravenna Ave NE
Estelle	1990	3400 Rainier Ave S
Phinney Ridge	1991	3rd Ave NW / NW 60th St
Courtland PI	1999	S Spokane St / 36th Ave S
Mad - P	2001	30th Ave E / E Mercer St
Pelican Tea Garden	2001	E Mercer St / 19th Ave E
Beacon Bluff	2002	S Mass St at 15th Ave S
Angel Morgan	2004	42nd Ave. S/ S. Morgan
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Yesler Terrace Freeway 2005 I-5 / Main

# **Seattle City Light Owned**

Thistle	1974	M L King Jr Wy S / S Cloverdale St
Snoqualmie	1974	13th Ave S / S Snoqualmie St
Evanston	1974	Evanston Ave N / N 102nd St
Ferdinand	1982	Columbia Dr S / S Ferdinand St
New Holly Power Garden	2003	Holly Park Drive S/S Othello
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New Holly Youth & Family Garden 2000 32nd Ave. S/ S Holly

## **Seattle Fleets and Facilities**

Hillside 2001 MLK Jr Wy S / S McClellan St

# **Seattle Housing Authority**

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Yesler Terrace Ballpark Garden	1995	8th Ave S / S Washington St
Yesler Terrace Playground Garden	1995	10th Ave S / S Main St
High Point. Juneau Community Garden	1998	32nd Ave SW / SW Juneau St
High Point Juneau Market Garden	1999	32rd Ave SW / SW Juneau St
New Holly 29th Ave Garden	2001	29th Ave S / S Brighton St
New Holly Lucky Garden	2001	Shaffer Ave S / S Holly St
New Holly Rockery Market Garden	2005	Holly Park Dr S & S 40th
New Holly Rockery Community Garden	2005	Holly Park Dr S & S 40th
Rainier Vista Snoqualmie Park Senior Garden	2006	29th Ave S and S Snoqualmie St
Rainier Vista Dakota Park	2008	S Lilac St and Martin Luther King Jr Way S
High Pont Commons Park	2009	31st Ave SW & SW Raymond St

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Rainier Vista – New Sunrise 2011

# **King County Metro**

University District	1976	8th Ave NE/NE 40th St
Greg's Garden	1999	14th Ave NW / NW 54th St

## **Seattle School District**

University Heights 1991 5031 University Way NE